have also been filed against the Patratu Thermal Power Plant, Bokaro Thermal Power Plant and the Giddi, Borora and Kathora coal washeries.

(iv) Government of India has given time till December 31, 1991 to meet the prescribed standards for the industries that belong to the 17 highly polluting categories. The States have been directed to enforce this time limit.

Finance of Narco-Terrorism by Bank of Credit and Commerce International

394. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Bank of Credit and Commerce International financed narco-terrorism in India;

(b) number of cases of narco-terrorism detected by the Government during 1990 and 1991 as in dates; and

(c) reaction of the Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Privitisation of NTC Mills

395. SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL:

SHRI SURESH KALMADI:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal under Government's consideration to place some of the NTC Mills in the country in the private sector;

(b) if so, the facts and details thereof;

(c) what is the number of NTC Mills in the country which are running at a loss;

(d) what are the factors responsible for their losses;

(e) whether Government have recently contemplated any measures to revamp the loss making NTC Mills; and

(f) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI ASHOK GEHLOT): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) During the year 1990-91, 89 mills had reported provisional net losses in their operations.

(d) The major factors responsible for losses in NTC Mills are obsolete machinery, low productivity and surplus labour force.

(e) and (f) National Textile Corporation has drawn a strategy for turnaround which, *inter-alia* includes:

(i) modernisation of potentially viable mills;

(ii) pruning of uneconomic capacities;

(iii) optimising utilisation of production capacities;

(iv) achieving higher productivity;

(v) labour rationalisation;

(vi) competitive purchase of raw materials;

(vii) higher yarn production;

(viii) price optimisation;

(ix) product upgradation.

Representation of Food Inspectors for Implementation of Fourth Pay Commission report

396. SHRI GHUFRAN AZAM: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some Food Inspectors of Delhi have represented to the DDO, Department of Prevention of Food Adulteration, Delhi Administration Delhi on the 6th October, 1986 regarding defective implementation of Fourth Pay Commission report;